

## BARRICADES IN TARRIZ STREETS

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London, July 1.—The situation at Tabriz, Persia, continues to be very serious. Private dispatches received here today say that the people have erected barricades in the streets and the fighting is going on night and day. Tabriz

and the entire province of Azerbaijan are strongholds of the revolutionists and the arrival there yesterday of troops to strengthen the forces of the shah has increased the danger of the situation.

The entry of the troops to the city is opposed by the revolutionary forces. All the bazars have been closed and there has been some looting of the residences of the delegates to the as-

Increasing cause for alarm is found in the fact that Tabriz is surrounded by Ruchin Kahn and his horsemen. They are supporters of the shah and utterly without discipline. Should these riders be turned loose on the city, the lives of even the foreigners there would be in danger.

No details are given of the recent street fighting, but one of the dispatches concludes with these words:

The foreign community residence at Tabriz is small and is composed mostly of Russians. There is a small British consul general, A. C. Wratisslaw, and a Russian consul general, M. Pohitonow. The staffs of the Imperial bank and the telegraph company and a few European engaged in the carpet trade. The British and Russian consulates are guarded by troops.

St. Petersburg, July 1.—News was received here today showing that the situation at Tabriz, Persia is serious. Mounted followers of Rachin Khan have been arriving before the city since yesterday. They met with resistance. This exasperated them and they at once began committing atrocities in which the mob joined. The excitement in the

fooling themselves on firm ground, have declined the proposal of an armistice made by the Russian consul general.

**ALMOST A BATTLE.**

St. Petersburg, July 1.—The fighting which took place at Tabriz, Persia yesterday, according to the reports that have just come to hand via Baku approached the dimensions of a real battle. Eighty men are reported killed and many more were wounded.

**BISHOP H. C. POTTER.**

**His Condition Very Critical, No More Hopeful Than Yesterday.**

Cooperstown, N. Y., July 1.—Bishop H. C. Potter passed a fairly comfortable night after rallying last evening. His condition this morning, however, is no more hopeful than it was yesterday.

The bulletin issued by the bishop's physician this morning says:

changed materially during the night. He is extremely weak, but at the same time responds fairly well to the measures used to keep up his strength." Bishop Potter had a slight rally early last evening, but at midnight he relapsed into his former condition and oxygen was again administered. The patient is still conscious and able at times to converse with his family.

by the retiring secretary, Win. H. Smith, Esq., Wright passed from the private office of the secretary in the general reception room.

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## BARTNETT SENTENCED.

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Ex-Gen. Counsel of Cal. Safe Deposit & Trust Co. Gets Ten Years.

San Francisco, July 1.—Walter B. Bartnett, formerly vice president and general

railroad and vice president and general counsel for the California Safe Deposit & Trust company, which failed in this city last November for about \$3,500,000 was today sentenced to the San Quentin penitentiary for 10 years by Superior Judge Conley. Barnett was convicted of having hypothecated bonds and securities to the amount of \$25,000 belonging to the estate of Ellen M. Colton, of which he was special administrator.

appeal after sentence was passed.  
Barnett is well known in railroad and financial circles in New York.

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**REP. SHERMAN BETTER.**  
Cleveland, July 1.—Congressman Sherman, after a good night's rest,

Friends are in making final preparation for his departure tomorrow morning from his home in Utica, N. Y. He will be accompanied on his homeward journey by Mrs. Sherman, who has also greatly improved in health and spirits during the past few days.

precautionary measure and intended to prevent the loosening of the door hinges and the breaking of window panes if these are closed.

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### HENLEY RACES.

Henley, July 1.—This was the second day of the Henley regatta. The crowd present was somewhat larger than yesterday but still far below the usual. The incidents included Hovea for the diamond sculls and the contests between four-oared crews. In the afternoon Eton was victorious in the second round for the grand challenge cup, defeating Calus college, Cambridge, by three-quarters of a length.